

Geography Key skills

Year 5

The UK

South America

Africa

Using maps and atlases	To name and locate geographical regions of the UK
	To identify human and physical characteristics of geographical regions of the UK
	To identify key topographical features of geographical regions of the UK
	To identify land use patterns of geographical regions of the UK
	To know the position of major countries in continents I have studied
	To search efficiently for unfamiliar countries
	To identify the position of global regions (The Equator, Northern Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere, the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn , Arctic and Antarctic circle)
	To identify the significance of global regions (The Equator, Northern Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere, the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn , Arctic and Antarctic circle)
Map skills	To collect information about a location from a range of sources
	To use information collected to describe a location and its features
	To use four figure grid references
	To use an atlas to collect information about a country's features
	To use an atlas to collect information about a country's environmental regions
	To use an atlas to collect information about a country's human and physical characteristics
	To use an atlas to collect information about a country's major cities
	To use symbol and keys (including Ordnance Survey)
Studying localities	To understand geographical similarities and differences between localities (mentioning both human and physical features)
	To describe and understand key aspects of physical geography (including deserts, rainforest and the water cycle)
	To describe and understand key aspects of human geography including: types of settlement and land use
	To understand how human geography impacts on a region over time
	To describe and understand key economic activities of a locality (including main exports and key industry)
	To use fieldwork skills to observe, measure, record and present human and physical features in the local area